BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

| ORDER PERMITTING |
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| WITHDRAWAL OF |
| APPLICATION AND |
| CLOSING DOCKET |
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| TC04-076 |
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On August 27, 2004, Cognigen Networks, Inc. (Cognigen) filed a motion for reconsideration with the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) requesting that the Commission reconsider its decision to deny a certificate of authority to Cognigen. The Commission granted Cognigen's motion for reconsideration on September 22, 2004. The Commission also reopened the docket.

On September 28, 2004, Cognigen requested that its application for a certificate of authority be withdrawn.

At its regularly scheduled October 12, 2004, meeting, the Commission considered this matter. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL 49-31-3 and ARSD Chapters 20:10:24 and 20:10:32. The Commission found that Cognigen's request to withdraw its application for a certificate of authority is reasonable and closed the docket. It is therefore

ORDERED, that Cognigen shall be permitted to withdraw its application for a certificate of authority, and it is further

ORDERED, that this docket is closed.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 20th day of October, 2004.

| CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE | |
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| The undersigned hereby certifies that this document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, by facsimile or by first class mail, in properly addressed envelopes, with charges prepaid thereon. | |
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| BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION: |
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| ROBERT K. SAHR, Chairman |
| GARY HANSON, Commissioner |
| JAMES A. BURG. Commissioner |